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All lanes of northbound I-405 at NE 124th Street will be closed from 10 p.m. Friday, June 2, to 5 a.m. Tuesday, June 6, so that crews can lower the northbound lanes at that location. Northbound traffic on I-405 will be funneled into a narrow two-lane bypass during the closure. We expect long backups on northbound I-405, especially during the Monday afternoon commute north.

Drivers on northbound I-5 should plan for heavy traffic as well because many drivers will take I-5 to get around the closure on I-405. Know before you go by getting [real-time traffic information](#) on our Web site.

The work is weather dependent which means it could be postponed to another weekend. We'll update you through our [Web page](#) as details are confirmed.

Memorial Day weekend travel

Next Monday, May 29, we observe Memorial Day. This weekend marks the unofficial start of the summer vacation travel season. A little planning can help make your holiday weekend safe and enjoyable. We encourage you to check out [travel information](#) on our Web site before departing.

Whenever possible, we avoid construction closures around holidays to accommodate travelers. Most crews will stop work by noon on Friday, May 26 and resume on Tuesday morning, May 30. Enjoy your holiday!

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